An Account of damage done to the Estate of the Honble John Hancock Esqr in the Town of Boston, by the British Army, since April 19. 1775. taken to Decr 1776.

To the Mansion House and the Fences around it.

		£	s	d
To Cash	paid John Neat Carpenter for putting up new fence, mending Stables &c & his three Bills - the old fence all destroyed	29	9	7
To ditto	paid Joshua Davis for Posts and Rails & Bill for the Pastures	8	14	2¾
To ditto	paid Sam.l Howard for ditto do		16	4
To ditto	paid Tho.s Bayley for ditto do	4	3	3
To ditto	paid Ebenr Dorr for Boards do	7	17	6
To ditto	paid for Carting do	1	8	0
		£ 52	8	10¾

To Sundries destroyed at & carried away from the House

viz.t	1 Butt & 1 Pipe of choice Vinegar qt 250 Gallons @ 2/	25	0	0
	6 Puncheons Cyder 90/	28	16	0
	1 groce bottled Cyder 28/ Bottles 40/		3	8
	½ groce different sorts of Wine drank & destroyed by the Soldiers		6	
	4 Cord of Walnut Wood 30/	6	0	0
	20 bushells Charcoal 20/. 1½ Chaldron Sea Coal @ £10. £15	16	0	0
	1 large Iron Crane		5	
	1 Back Gammon Table, with it's furniture	7	0	0
	1 Broad Sword		4	0
	a Case with 15 Bottles 48/ a Candle Box 12/		3	0
	a quantity of Corks 20/. 2 Globe Lamps broke 20/		2	
	Ladders Shovells Rakes Hoes Saws Wheelbarrows Wood Hoses &c. &c. &c. all broke and carried away		8	
	6 Musketts given in to Genl Gage by his Arbitrary Order @ 80/	24	0	0
	6 yards best raisd silk Velvett, crimson, being part of the Lining of the Chariot, which was torn out & carried away @ 30/	9	0	0
	8 Leather Bucketts @ 16/ £6.8.0 — 17 Baggs @ 3/. 51/	8	19	0
	a large Coach Whip		12	0
	Delph Glass & China Ware broke while the House was occupied by the Officers	3	0	0
	Rent of the House one Year	133	6	8
				315 10
To a	House in Queen Street by an Estimate made by Mr. Perpont who lives in it	100	0	0
	One Years Rent of this House	80	0	
				180 0
To a	House in Ann Street pull'd down and destroyed	500	0	0
	One Years Rent	30	0	0
				530 0 0
To a	House in Sudbury Street damaged	50	0	0
	Barn & fences belonging to it intirely destroyed	30		
	One Years Rent for ditto	30		
				110 0 0
To a	House Garden's & fences in Hanover Street damaged	20		
	One Years Rent of ditto	30		
				50
To a	House at West Boston, back of the Mannion House pull'd down & destroyed	300	0	0
	The fences around the Garden & Pasture belonging to this place, all destroyed	35	0	0
	One Years Rent of ditto	20	0	0
				355
	Carried forward			£ 1570 10 6¾

Sum brought forward . . . . . £ 3037..10..6¾

To damage done to 7 Brick Tenements near the Mill Creek, by breakage of Windows, Cellar doors, Locks Hinges, tearing down Stair Cases cutting up, and damaging floors, to say nothing about Nastiness } 100..0..0

One Years Rent for these Tenements at £25..0..0 . . . . 175..0..0. 275..0..0.

Mem.ᵒ Some of the Tenants left these Houses, and Officers Soldiers and Whores went into them; Other of the Tenants kept Possession, but when the Troops left the Town, they were so plundered and abused, that they are quite ruind and the Rent due from them is lost to Mr. Hancock . . . . . }

A House in Southack's Court, a Cannon ball went through it, not otherwise much damaged say . . . . . 5..0..0

The Gardner's Servants House back of the Mansion House, not much damaged say also . . . . . 5..0..0

The Nursery of young Trees almost ruind . . . . .

To a large Store, Out Stores Sheds &c.ª on the Dock, burnt in the fire there in May 1775, which begun in a Store occupied by the Troops as a Barrack, and by the Ignorance or Wickedness of the Garrison was suffered to consume all the Stores in the Range to the Water } 1000..0..0.

One Years Rent of this Store . . . . . 60..0..0.

40 Goods Bags £6. & 3 Casks of Deck Nails q.ʳ q.ᵗˢ @ 70/ £31..10. lost in the fire . . . . . 37..10..— 1097..10..0.

To 3 Stores on the Long Wharff damaged . . . . . 20..0..0

Rent for ditto one Year @ £26..13..4 Each . . . . . 80..0..0 100..0..0

To damage done to the Wharff at the N.ᵒ part of the Town . . . . . 20..0..0.

Rent for one Year of 15 Stores, a large Sail-Loft, a Coopers Shop, &c.ª &c.ª . . . . . } 200..0..0.

Wharfage & Dockage of Vessells & Merchandize for one Year sett at the usual Income . . . . . } 250..0..0.

Cash paid Blacksmiths Bill for Hinges Bolts &c.ª for the Stores on the Wharff, the old ones all broke & carried off by the Soldiers . . . . . } 12..9..6.

Cash paid Carpenters Bill for new doors Windows &c.ª for ditto, the old ones, gone as p.ᵈ ditto . . . . . } 23..5..4.

Cash paid Glaziers Bill, for mending Glass Windows, broke and destroyed by these Gentlemen . . . . . } 3..0..0.

Cash paid for painting new doors Windows &c.ª . . . . . 6..0..—

Cash paid Cap.ᵗ Matchetts Bill for Locks &c.ª for the Stores . . . . . 12..16..—

5 Iron Grates taken out of the Stores & carried away @ 28/ . . . . . 7..0..0. 534..10..10

To 100 hogsheads of Salt, which these Scoundrells threw into the Dock, out of one of the Stores on this Wharff @ 36/ } 180..0..0.

To a large Scow, destroyed by the Soldiers . . . . . 26..13..4.

To damage done the new Ship, that lies at the Wharff. Her Stern Post is cut almost through, several Beams saw'd off, all the Timber heads Split and other damage to her Cabbin &c. &c.ª &c.ª . . } 300..0..0.

a Sett of Masts Yards Spars, Tops Caps &c. all carried off . . . . . 30..— 536..13..4

Carried forward . . . . £ 4124..4..8¾